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REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE
310 FIRST STREET SE
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Response Due Date
06/17/2020

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00003418

REFERENCE: YEAR-END REPORT (12/01/2019 - 12/31/2019)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action.** Additional information is needed for the following 3 item(s):

1. Schedule A of your 2019 Reports combined, discloses transfers totaling \$24,503,512.06 from "TRUMP MAKE AMERICA GREAT AGAIN COMMITTEE," which is a joint fundraising committee affiliated with your committee. The sum of memo Schedule A is less than the total amount transferred. Please note that the sum of memo Schedule A supporting a transfer(s) from a joint fundraising committee should be greater than or equal to the amount of the transfer(s).

Each participating committee shall report its share for net proceeds received from the joint fundraising committee as a transfer-in on Schedule A. A memo Schedule A must be provided to itemize your committee's share of the gross contributions received through the joint fundraiser. The memo schedule should itemize each individual who has contributed an aggregate in excess of \$200 during the calendar year and provide the amount of unitemized contributions received. In addition, the memo schedule should itemize your committee's share of all contributions from political committees, regardless of amount. (11 CFR § 102.17(c)(8)(i)(B)) Please amend your report to include the missing Schedule A or provide an explanation for this apparent discrepancy.

2. Schedule A of your 2019 Reports combined, discloses transfers totaling \$371.25 from "STRENGTHEN THE MAJORITY," which is a joint fundraising committee affiliated with your committee. You must provide a memo Schedule A disclosing your share of gross receipts. The memo schedule should itemize each